House Amendment 1531

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Amend the amendment, H=1335, to Senate File 283, as
   2 passed by the Senate, as follows:
   3 \pm 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 18 the
   4 following:
        <Sec.
                     Section 46.20, Code 2009, is amended to
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   6 read as follows:
        46.20 DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY.
        At least one hundred four days before the judicial
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   9 election preceding expiration of the initial or
  10 regular term of office, a judge of the supreme court,
  11 court of appeals, or district court including district
  12 associate judges, full=time associate juvenile judges,
  13 or full=time associate probate judges, or a clerk of 14 the district court who is required to stand for
  15 retention under section 602.1216 may file a
  16 declaration of candidacy with the state commissioner
  17 of elections to stand for retention or rejection at
  18 that election. If a judge or clerk fails to file the
  19 declaration, the office shall be vacant at the end of
  20 the term. District associate judges, full=time 21 associate juvenile judges, and full=time associate
  22 probate judges filing the declaration shall stand for
  23 retention in the judicial election district of their
  24 residence appointment.>>
  25 #2. Page 1, by inserting after line 20 the
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  26 following:
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        <<Sec.
                      Section 602.6302, subsection 1,
  28 paragraph b, Code 2009, is amended to read as follows:
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        b. The substitution must not result in a lack of a
  30 resident district associate judge or magistrate in one
  31 or more of the counties.>
  32 \pm3. Page 2, by inserting after line 24 the
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  33 following:
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                      Section 602.6305, Code 2009, is amended
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        <Sec.
  35 to read as follows:
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        602.6305 TERM, RETENTION, QUALIFICATIONS.
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  37 1. District associate judges shall serve initial 38 terms and shall stand for retention in office within
  39 the judicial election districts of their residences
 40 <u>appointments</u> at the judicial election under sections 41 46.16 through 46.24.
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        2. A person does not qualify for appointment to
  43 the office of district associate judge unless the
  44 person is at the time of appointment a resident of the
  45 county judicial district in which the vacancy exists,
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  46 licensed to practice law in Iowa, and will be able,
  47 measured by the person's age at the time of
  48 appointment, to complete the initial term of office
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  49 prior to reaching age seventy=two. An applicant for
  50 district associate judge shall file a certified
   1 application form, to be provided by the supreme court,
   2 with the chairperson of the county magistrate
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   3 appointing commission.
            A district associate judge must be a resident
   5 of a county the judicial district in which the office
   6 is held during the entire term of office. A district
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   7 associate judge shall serve within the judicial
   8 district in which appointed, as directed by the chief
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   9 judge, and is subject to reassignment under section
  10 602.6108.
        4. District associate judges shall qualify for
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  12 office as provided in chapter 63 for district
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  13 judges.>>
  14 \pm 4. By renumbering as necessary.
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  18 D. OLSON of Boone
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